

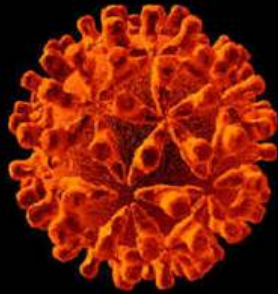
Panviral Lipid Remodeling for Replication

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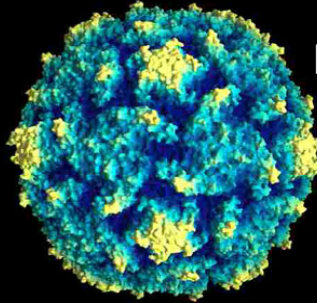
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SINGLE POSITIVE STRAND RNA VIRUSES

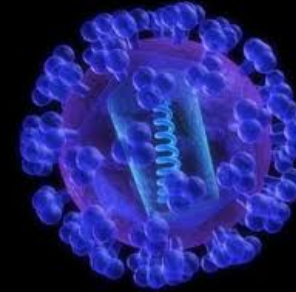
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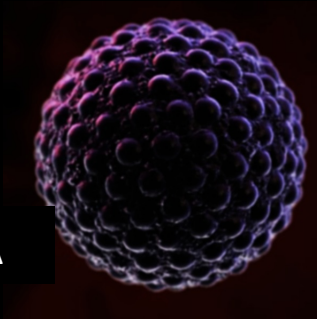
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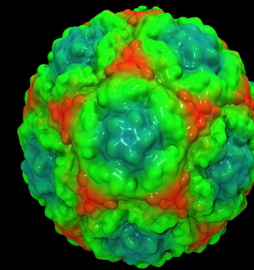
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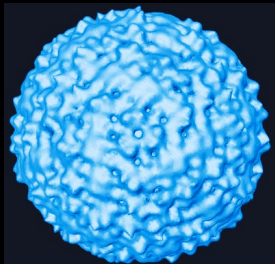
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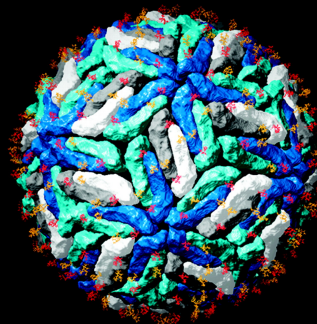
Rhinovirus



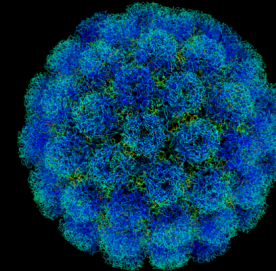
West Nile virus



Dengue virus



Enterovirus 71



RNA viruses (relative to DNA viruses):

- **Small genome size:** multiple distinct enzymatic activities encoded by polytopic proteins.
- **High mutation rate:** impaired error correction.
- **Large variation in genomic sequence within a single host cell**
- **Evolution and selection in short time scales.**



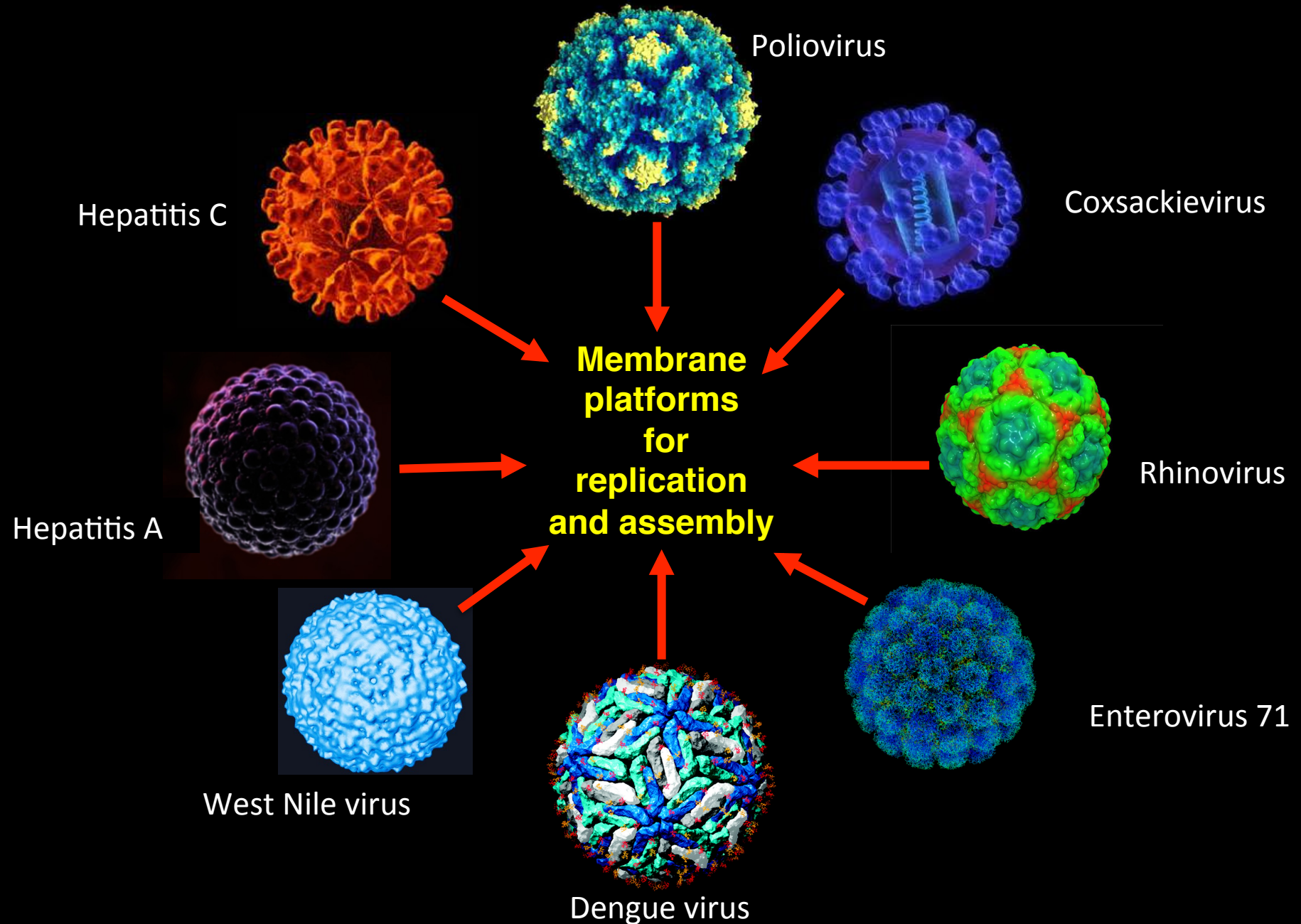
Rapid emergence of resistance to therapeutics

Alternative strategy to
kill RNA viruses



Target host factors
that RNA viruses need for
replication

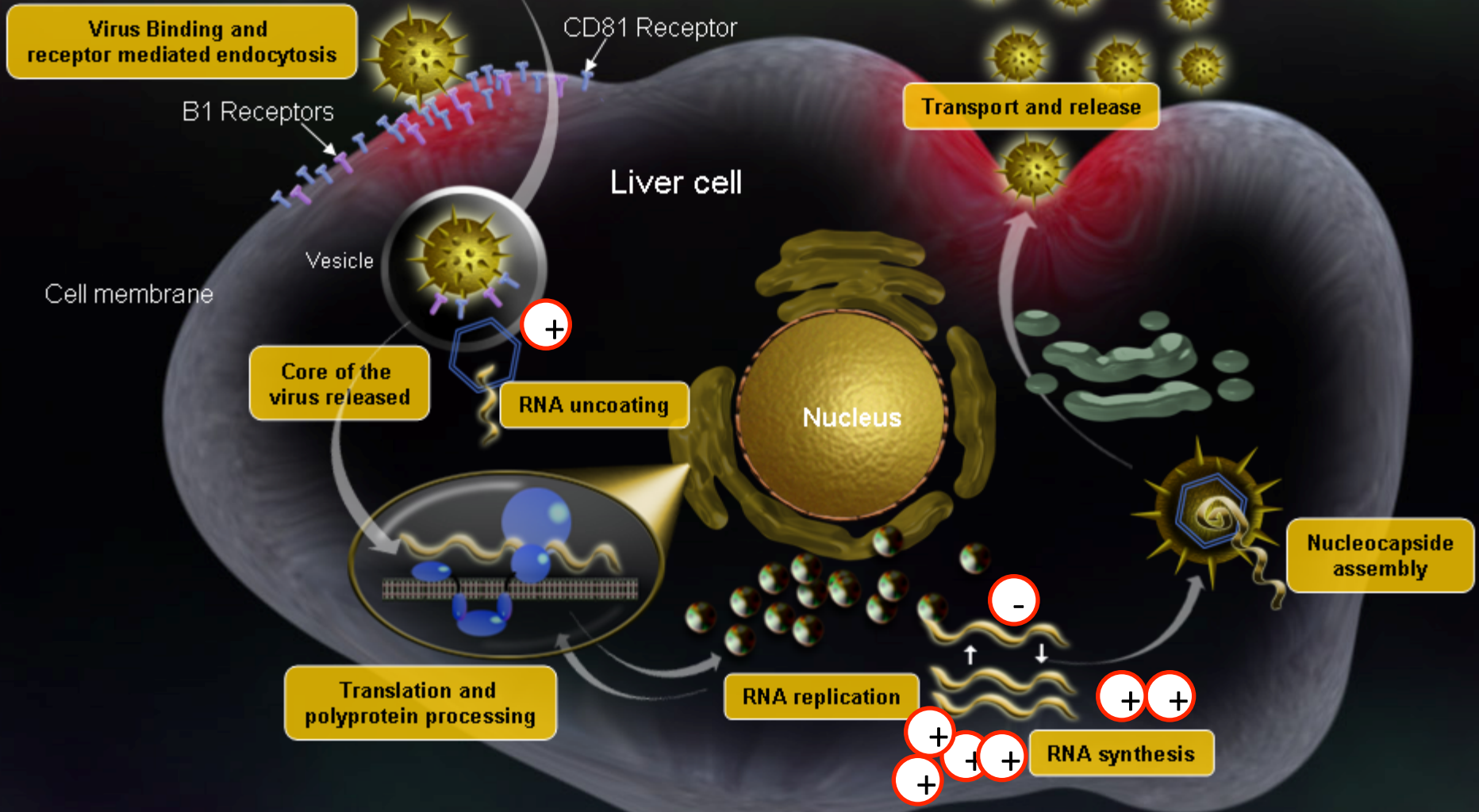
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HCV Life Cycle

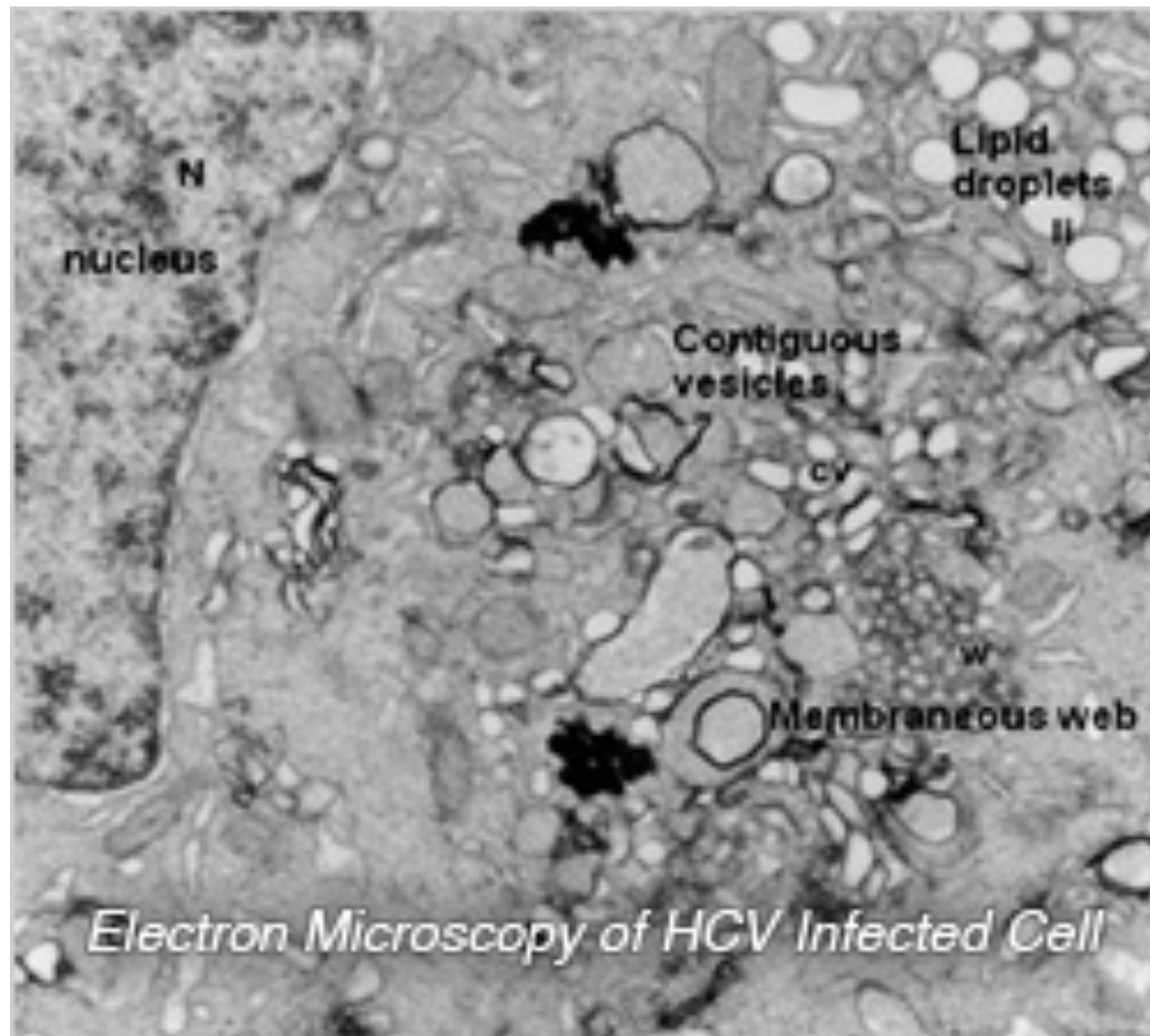
Hepatitis C Virus

10^{12} virions
per day

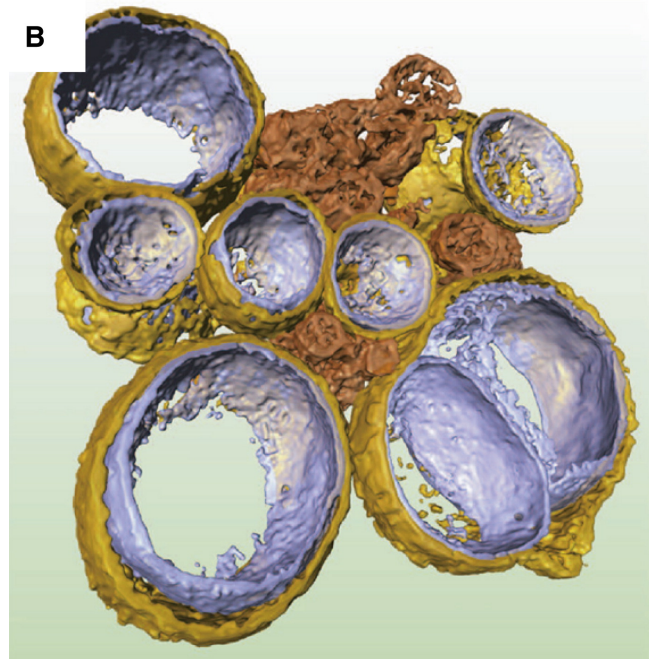
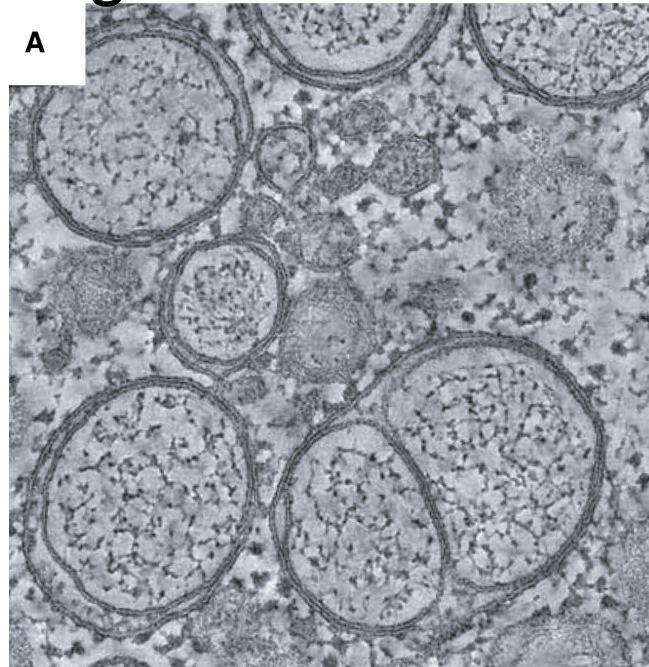


Adapted from Lindenbach BD, Rice CM. *Nature*. 2005;436:933-938

HCV Replication organelle “membranous web”

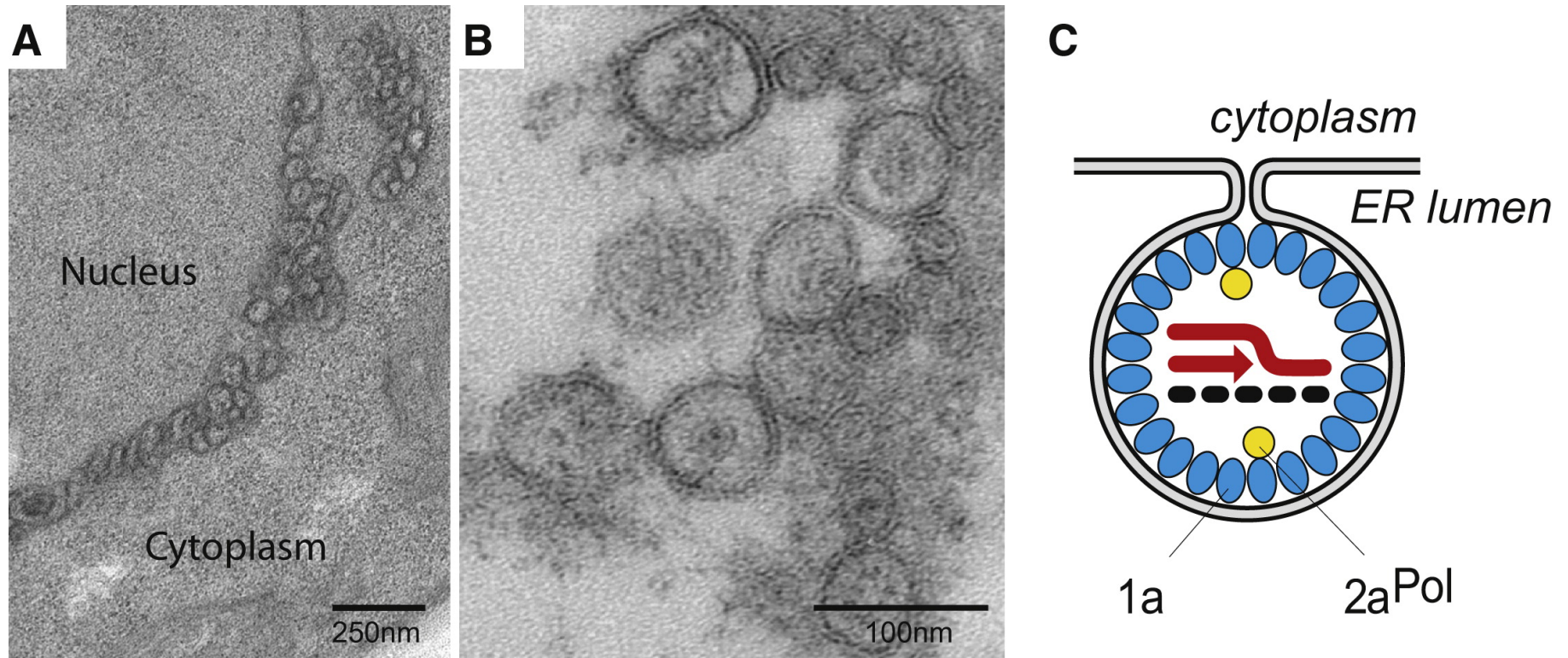


SARS replication organelles

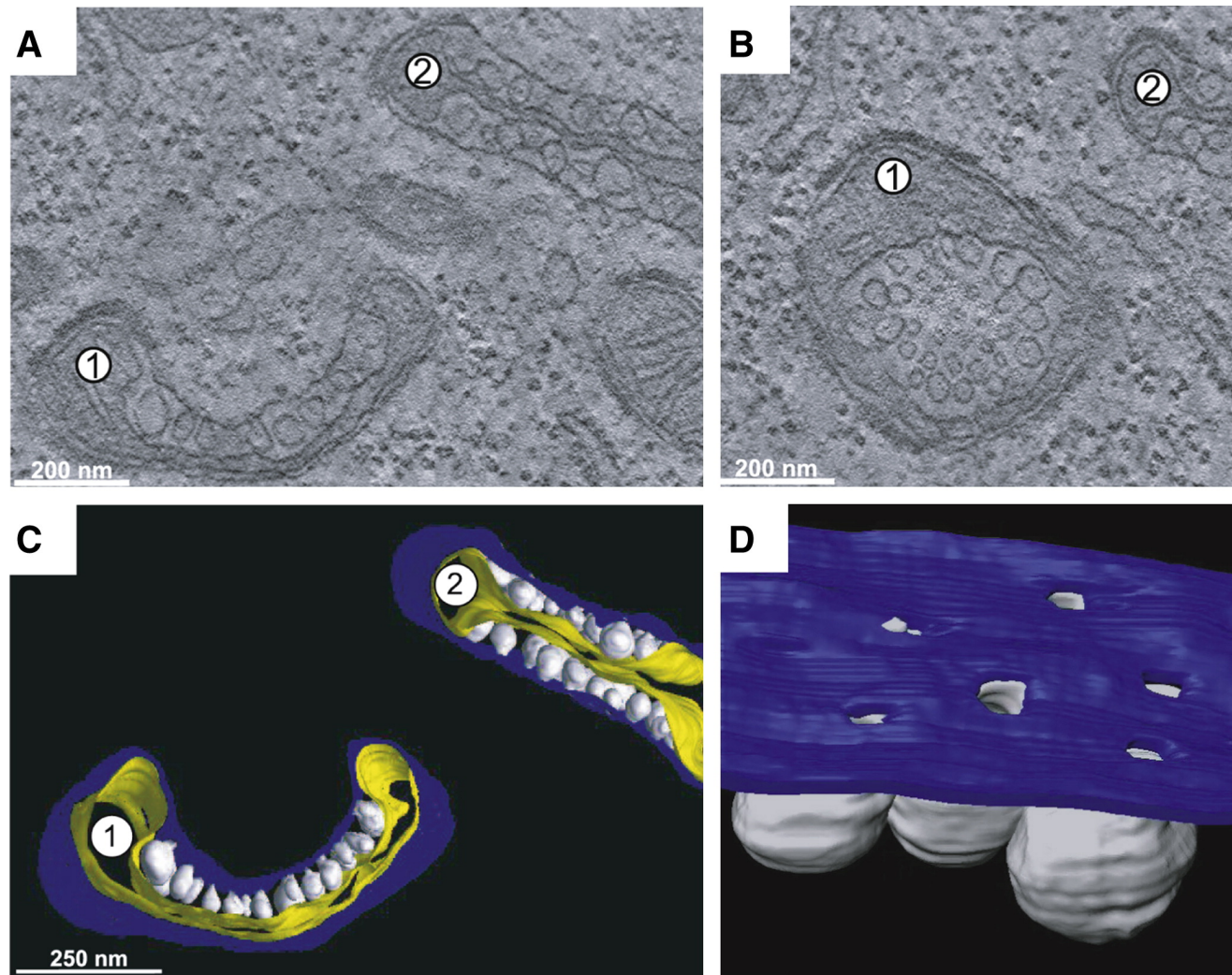


Ahlquist et al., Cell 2010

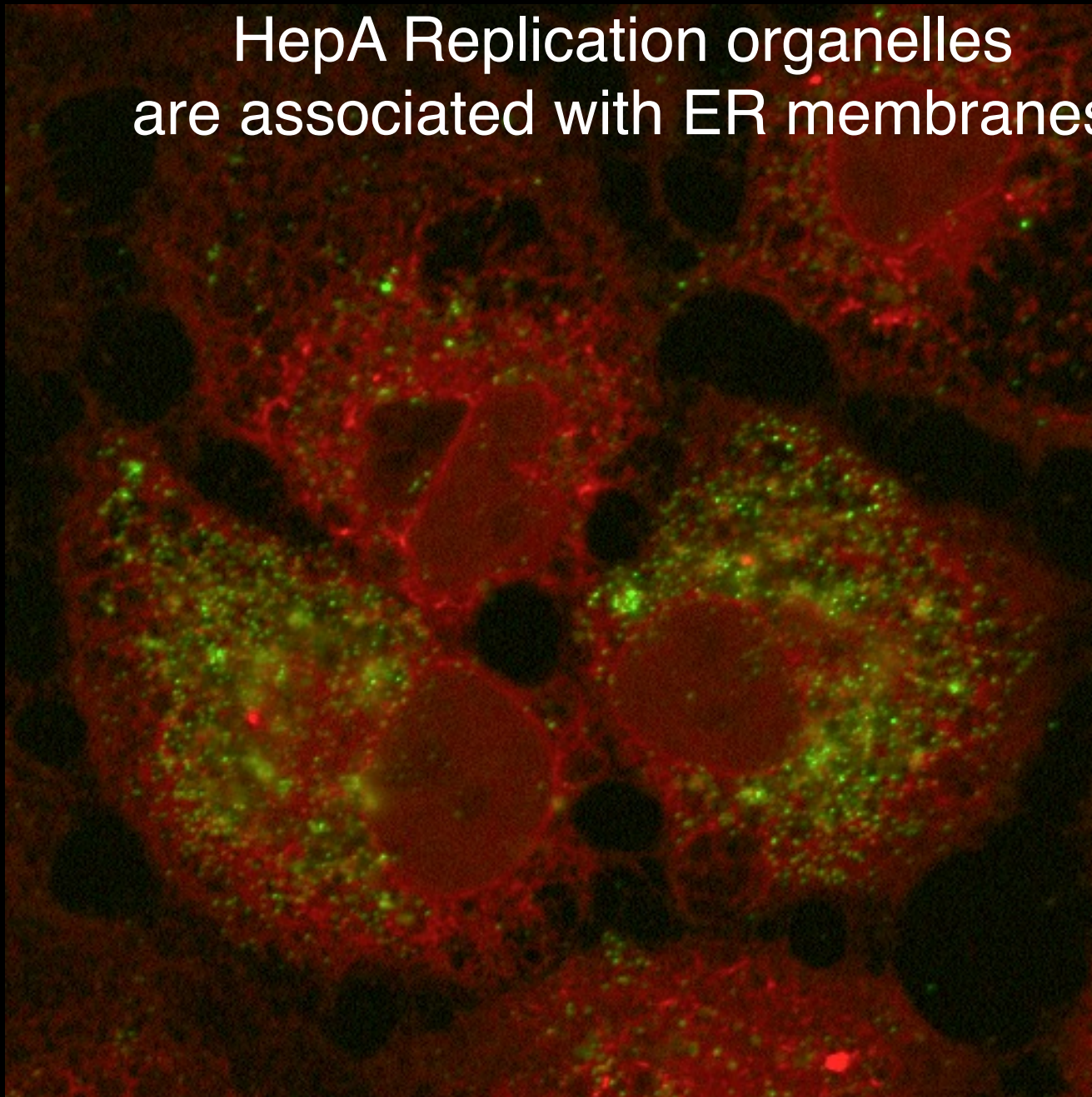
Bromomosaic virus replication organelles



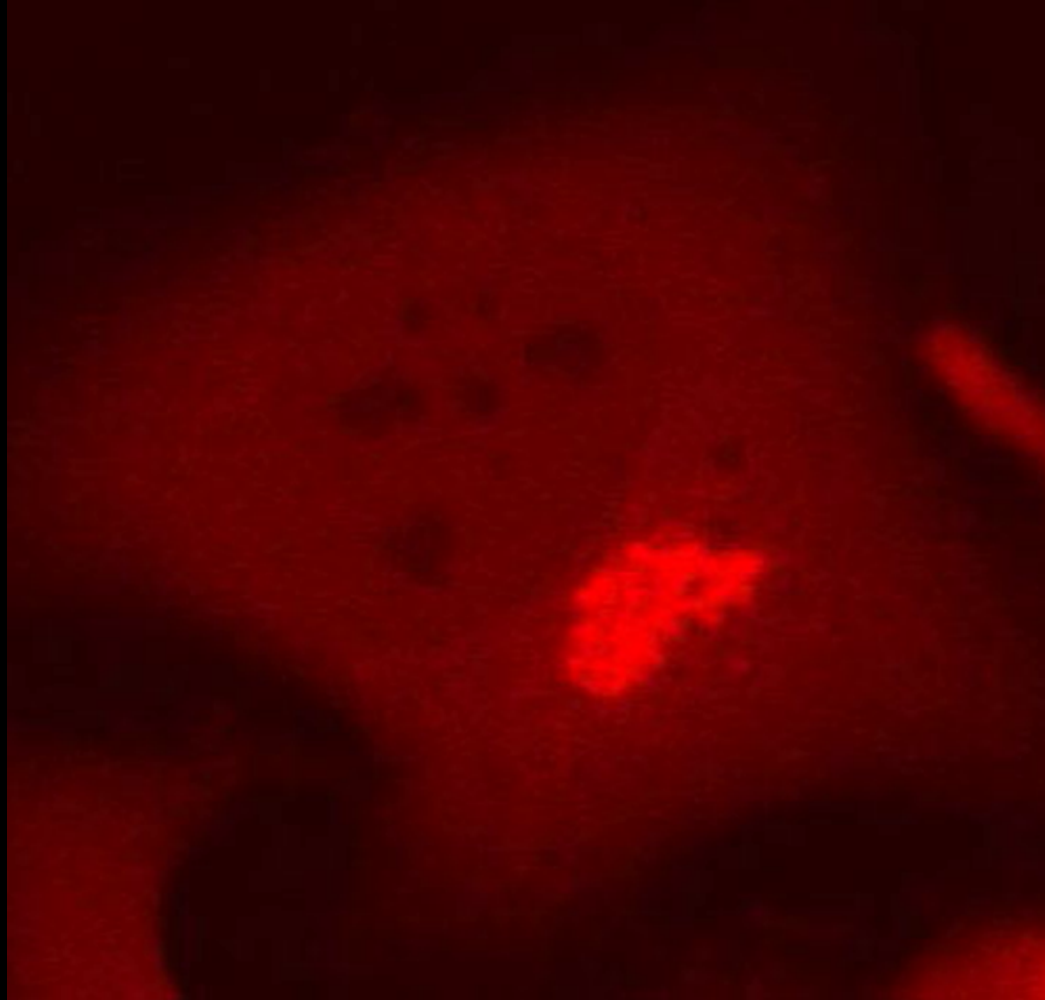
Flockhouse virus replication organelles



HepA Replication organelles
are associated with ER membranes



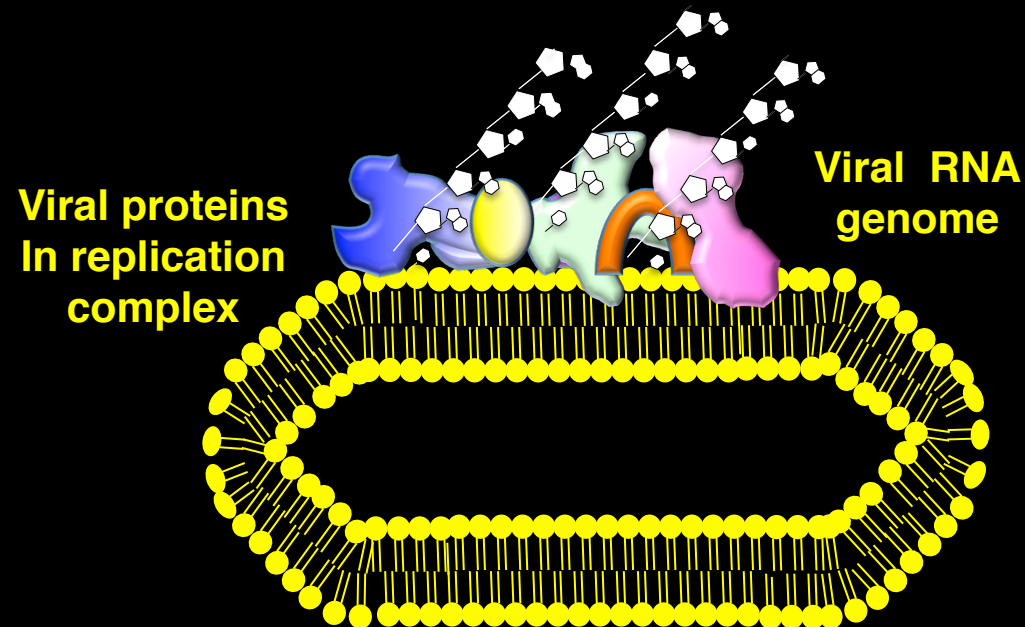
Formation of the Viral replication factories in living cells



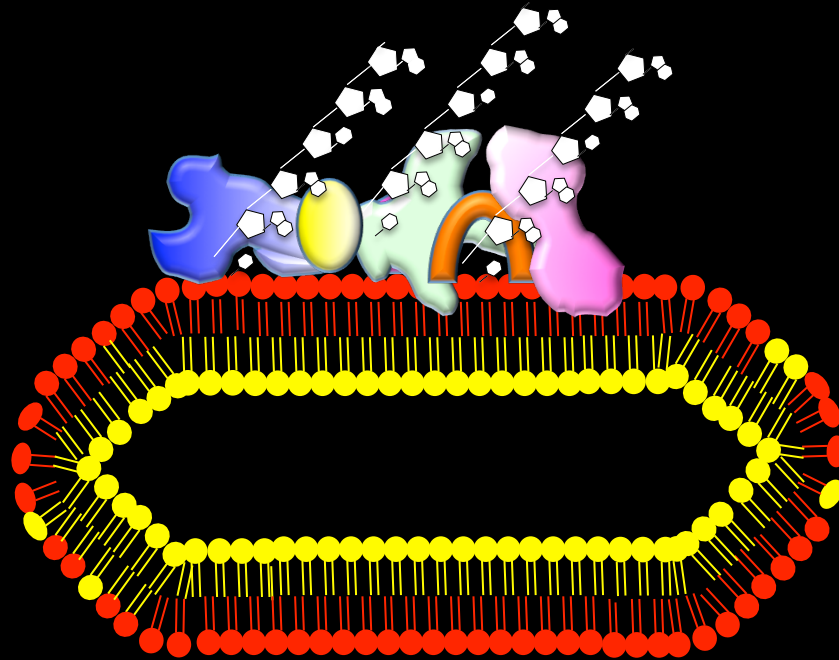
Why Replicate on Membranes ?

**Early in infection viral proteins are low
in abundance-**

Viral Replication on membranes



Affinity of viral proteins for membranes limits their diffusion, thus decreasing the entropy loss, which may facilitate assembly of proteins into a replication complex.



What kind of lipids do viral proteins like to bind to?

Additional novel roles for lipids in viral replication?

Are there specific lipids that multiple different RNA viruses require for replication?

PI4P lipid enriched Replication membrane platforms are generated

Poliovirus

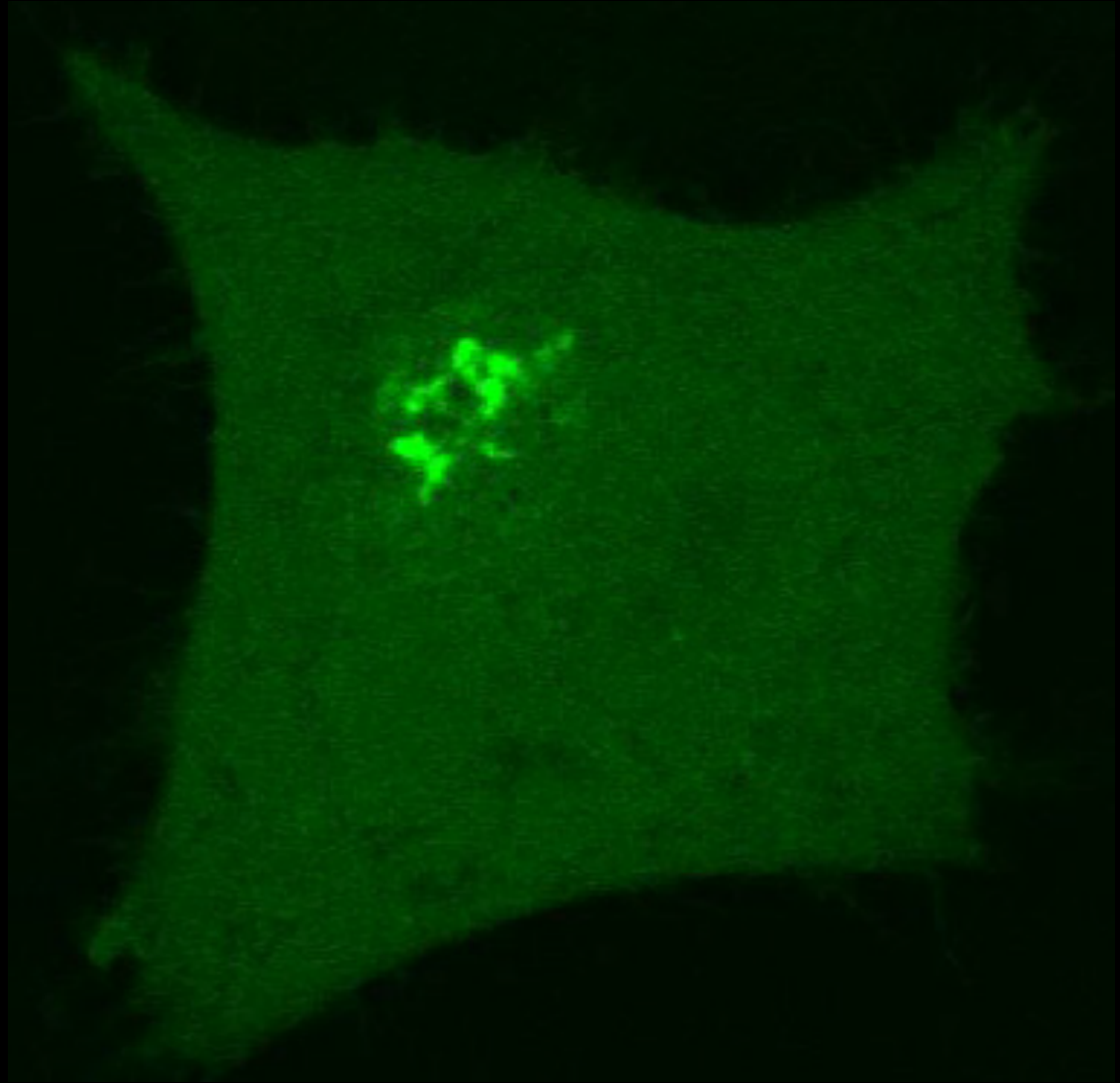
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Rhinovirus

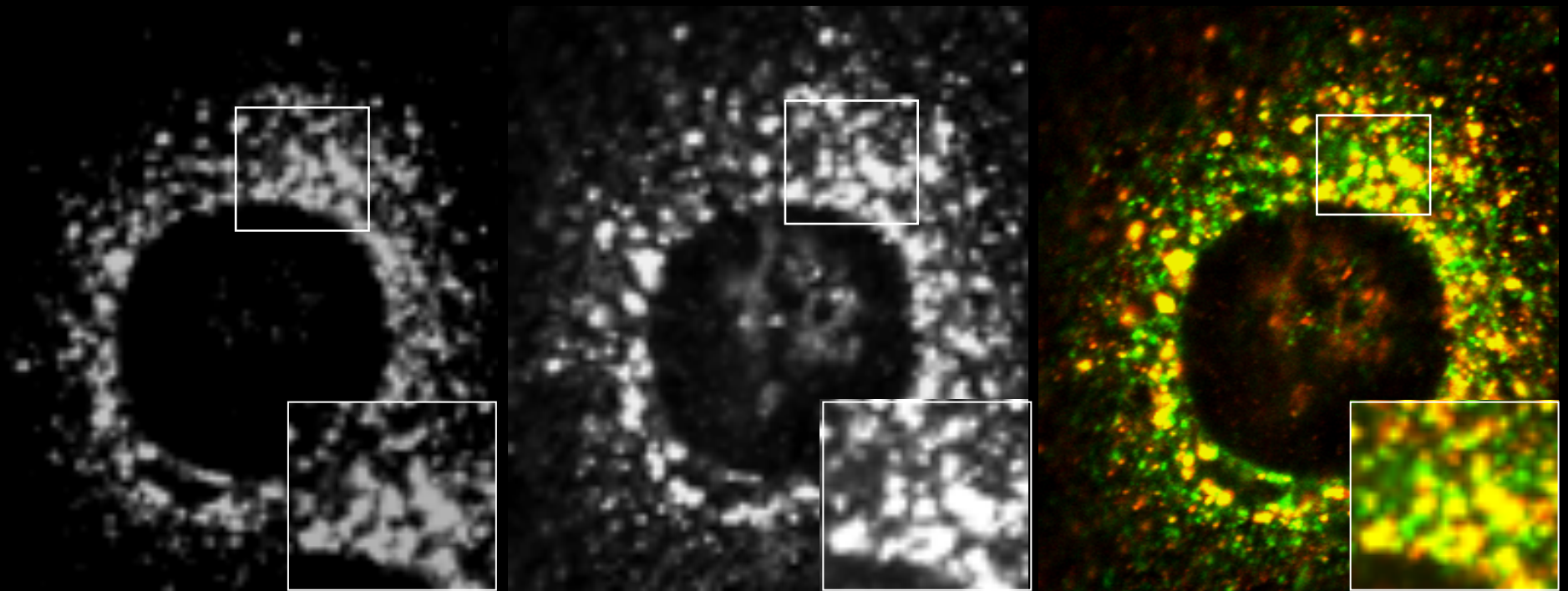
Echovirus

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Enterovirus 71



HCV replication organelles are also highly enriched in PI4P lipids



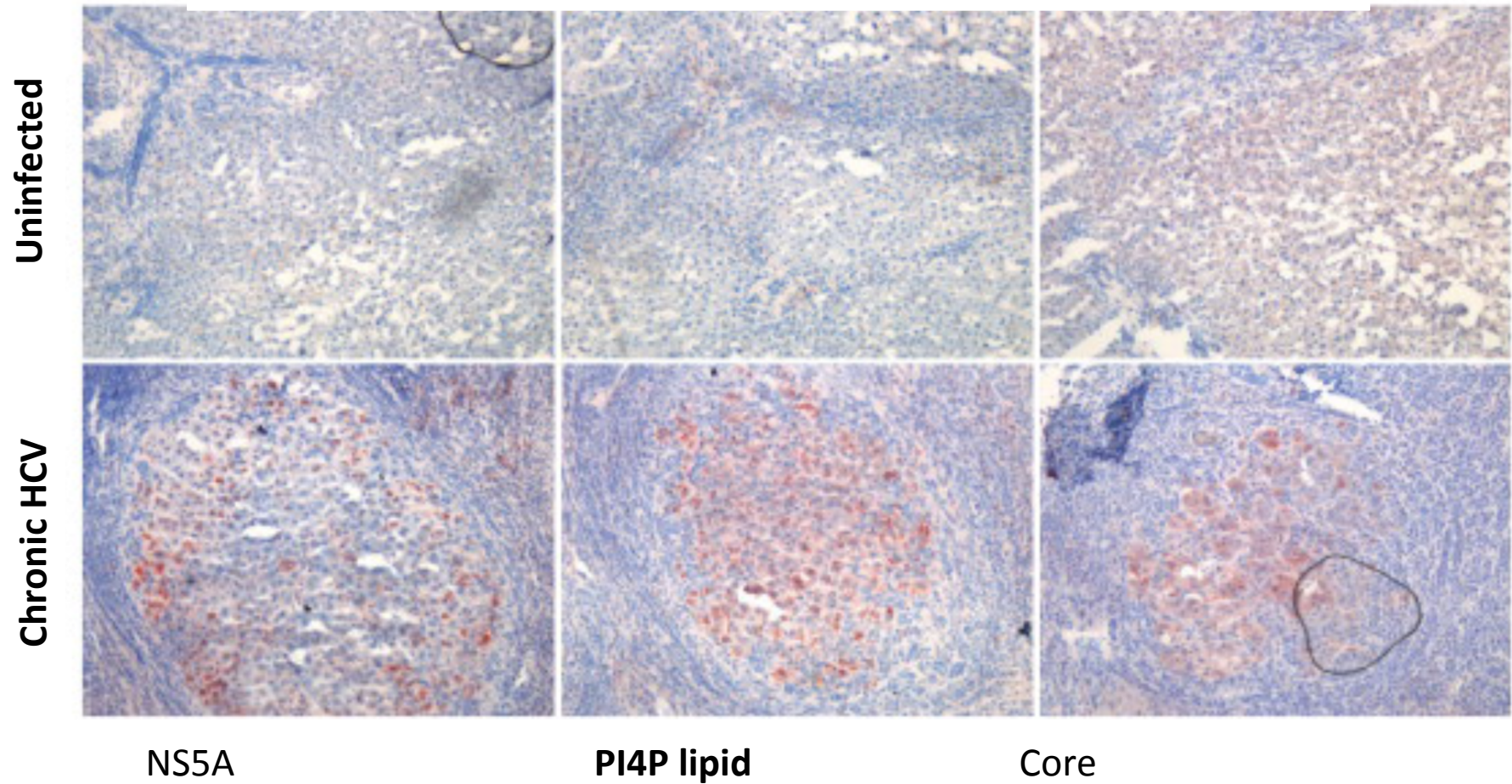
NS5A

PI4P

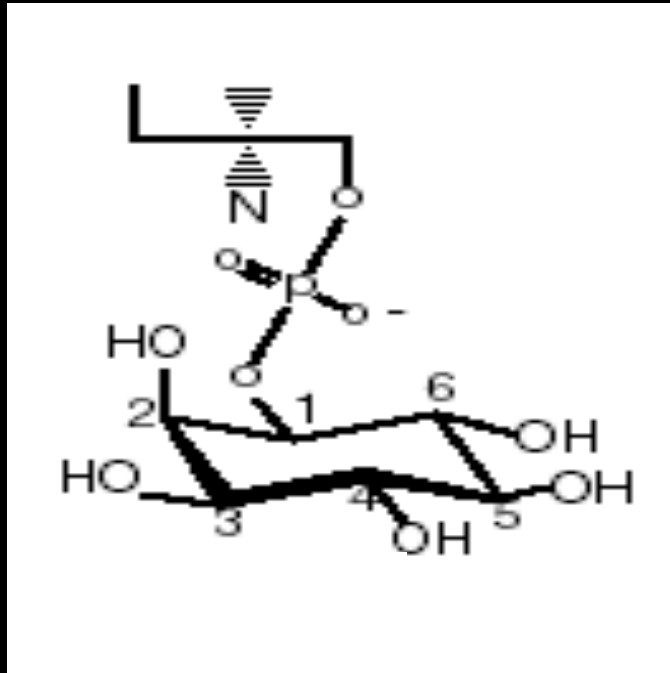
PI4P NS5A

Hsu et al., Cell 2010

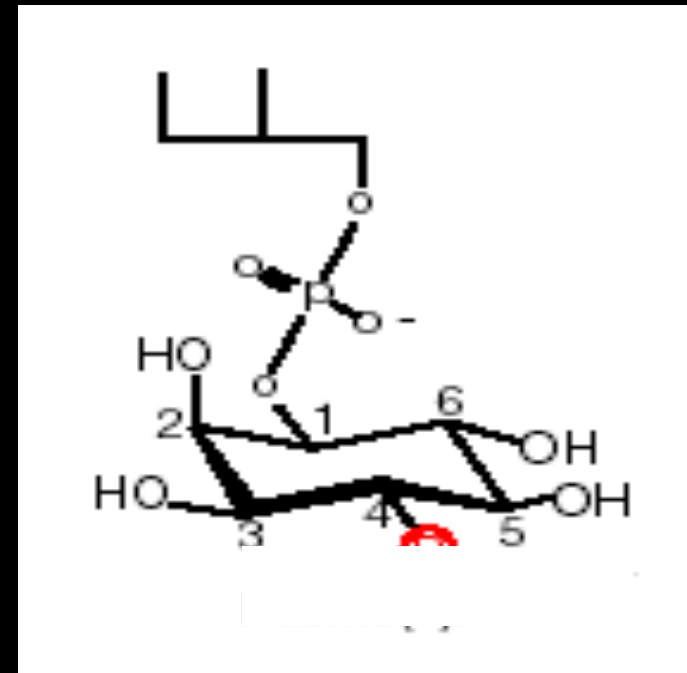
Livers of patients with chronic HCV are highly enriched in PI4P lipids



Phosphatidylinositol 4 kinases generate PI4P lipids

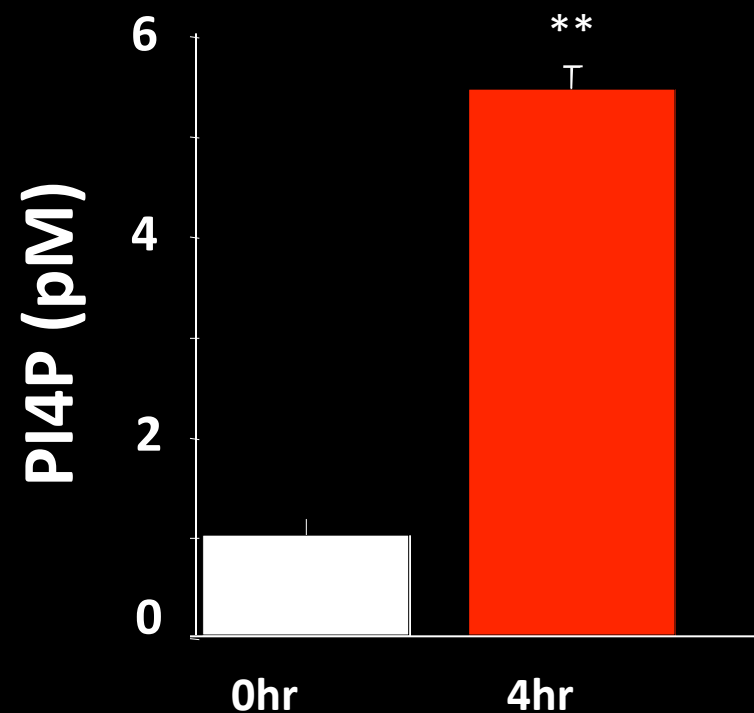


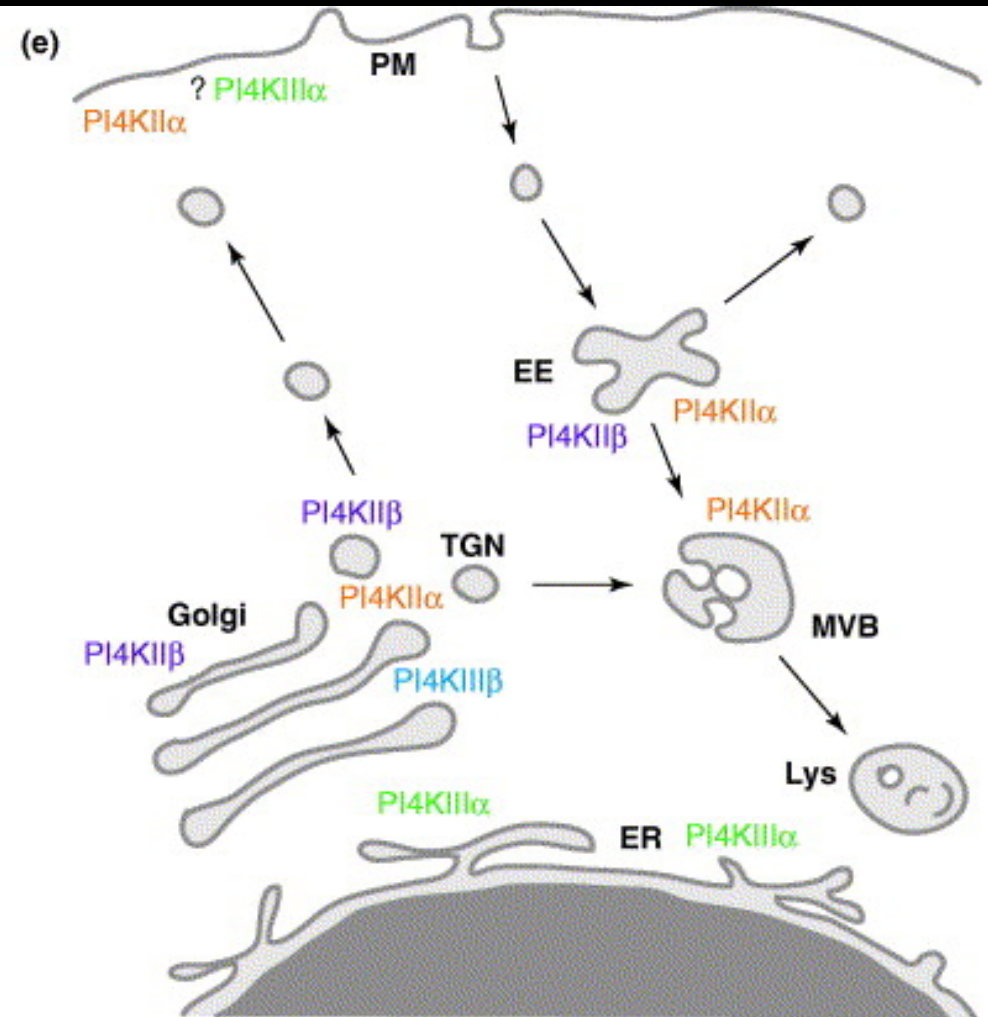
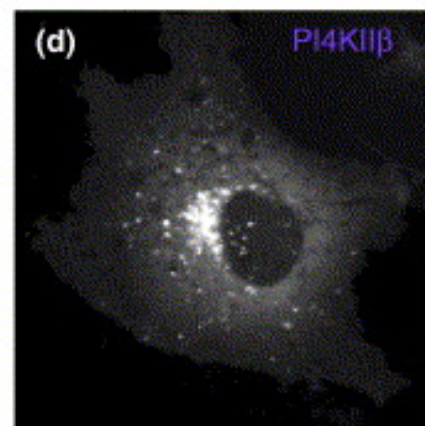
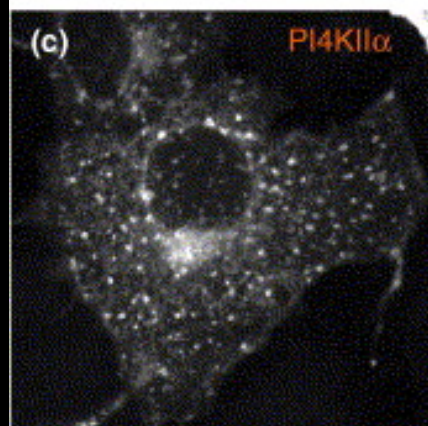
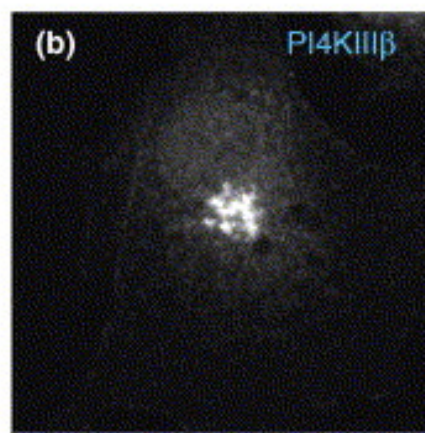
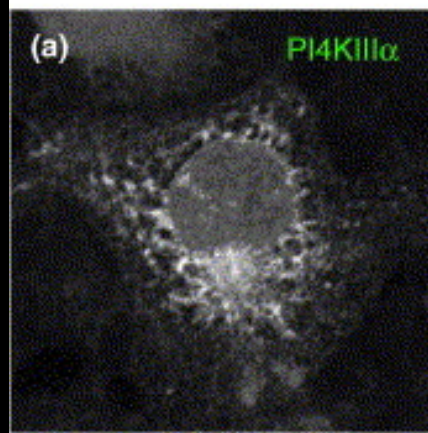
Phosphatidylinositide (PI)



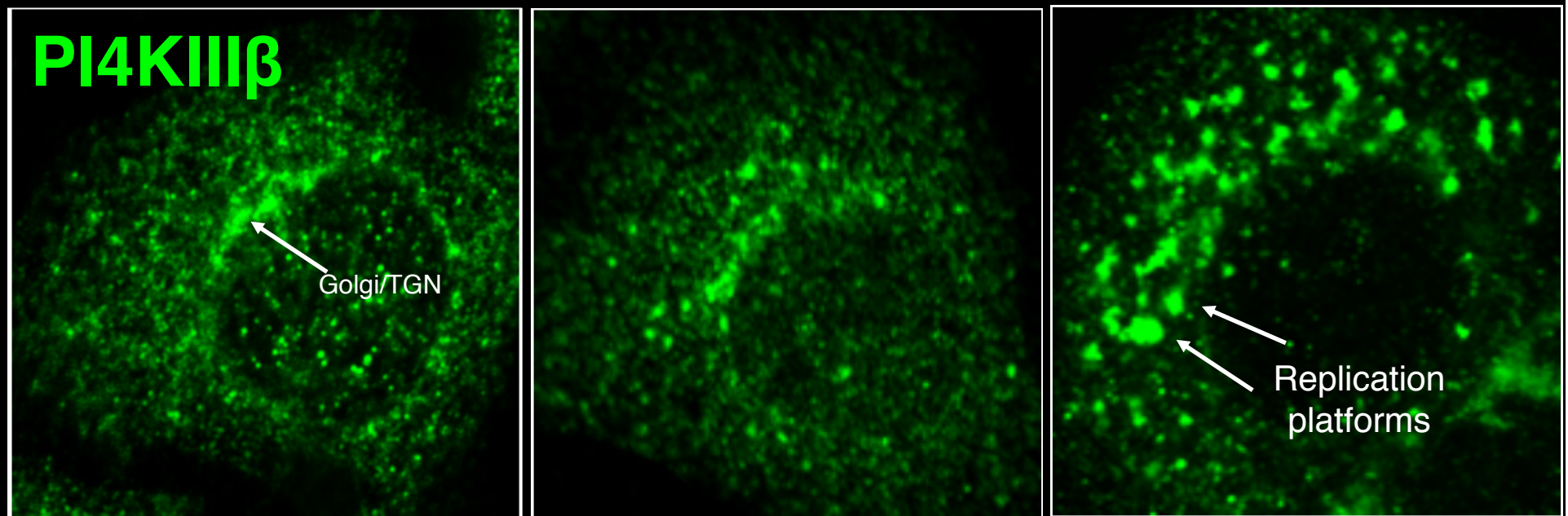
Phosphatidylinositide
4-phosphate (PI4P)

PI4P lipid levels increase > 5 fold during infections



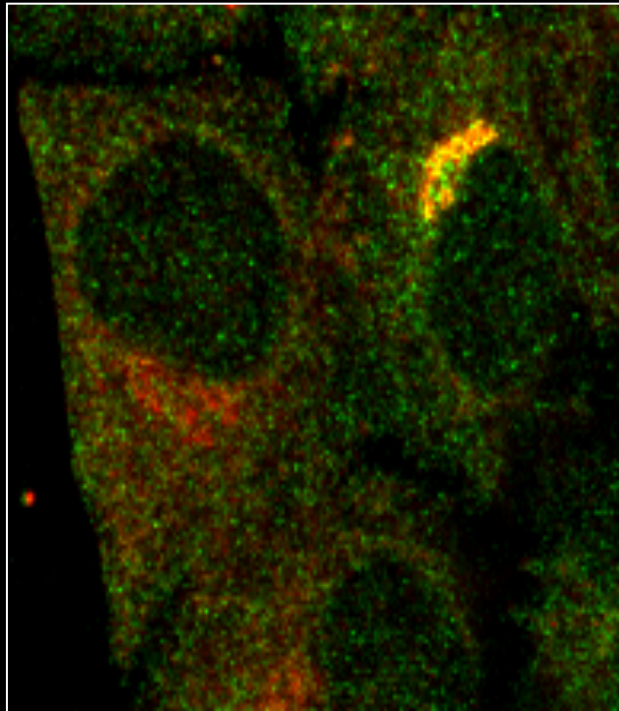


RNA viruses hijack a specific host lipid kinase,
PI4KIII β
to generate PI4P enriched replication
platforms

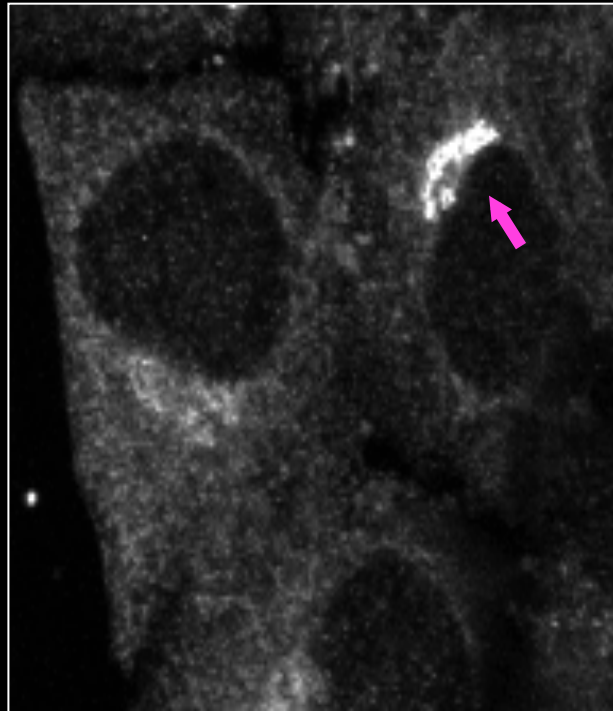


Infection progression

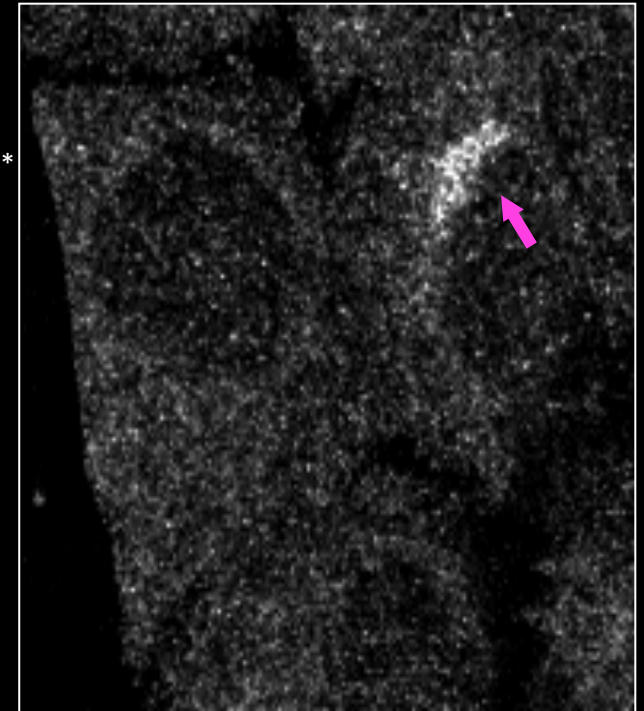
3A expression enhances PI4KIII β recruitment to membranes



PI4KIII β 3A

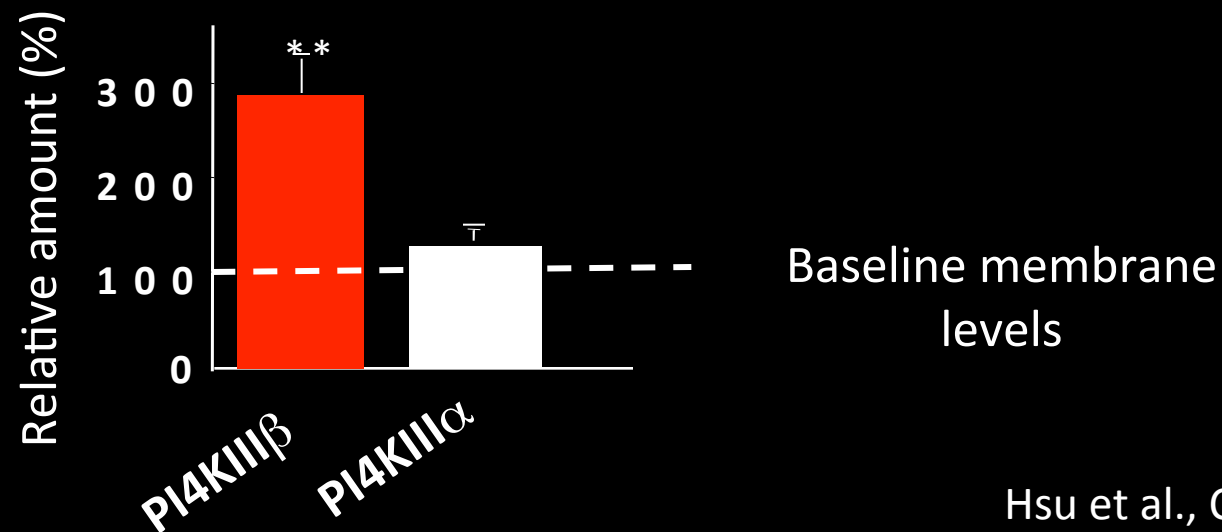
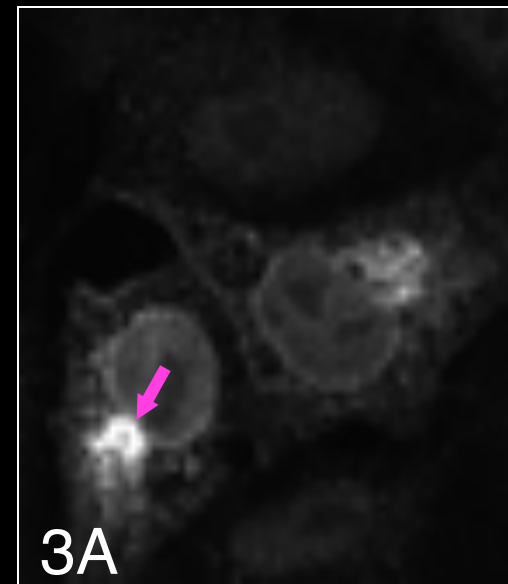
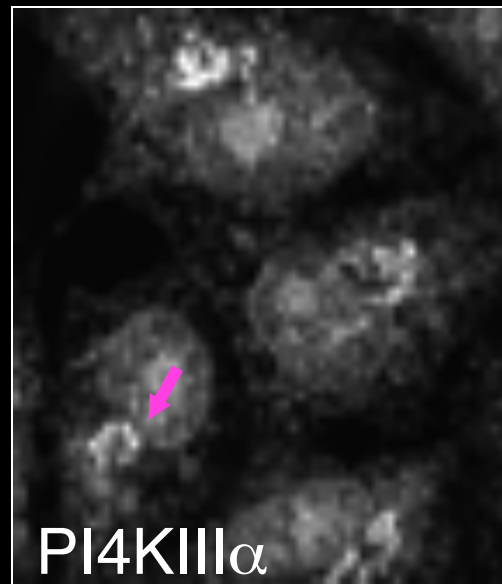
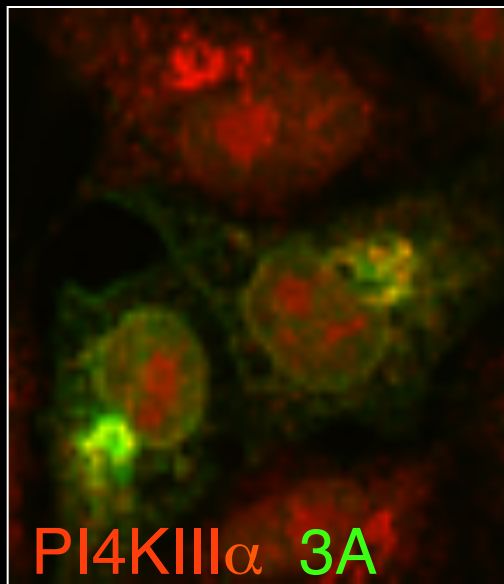


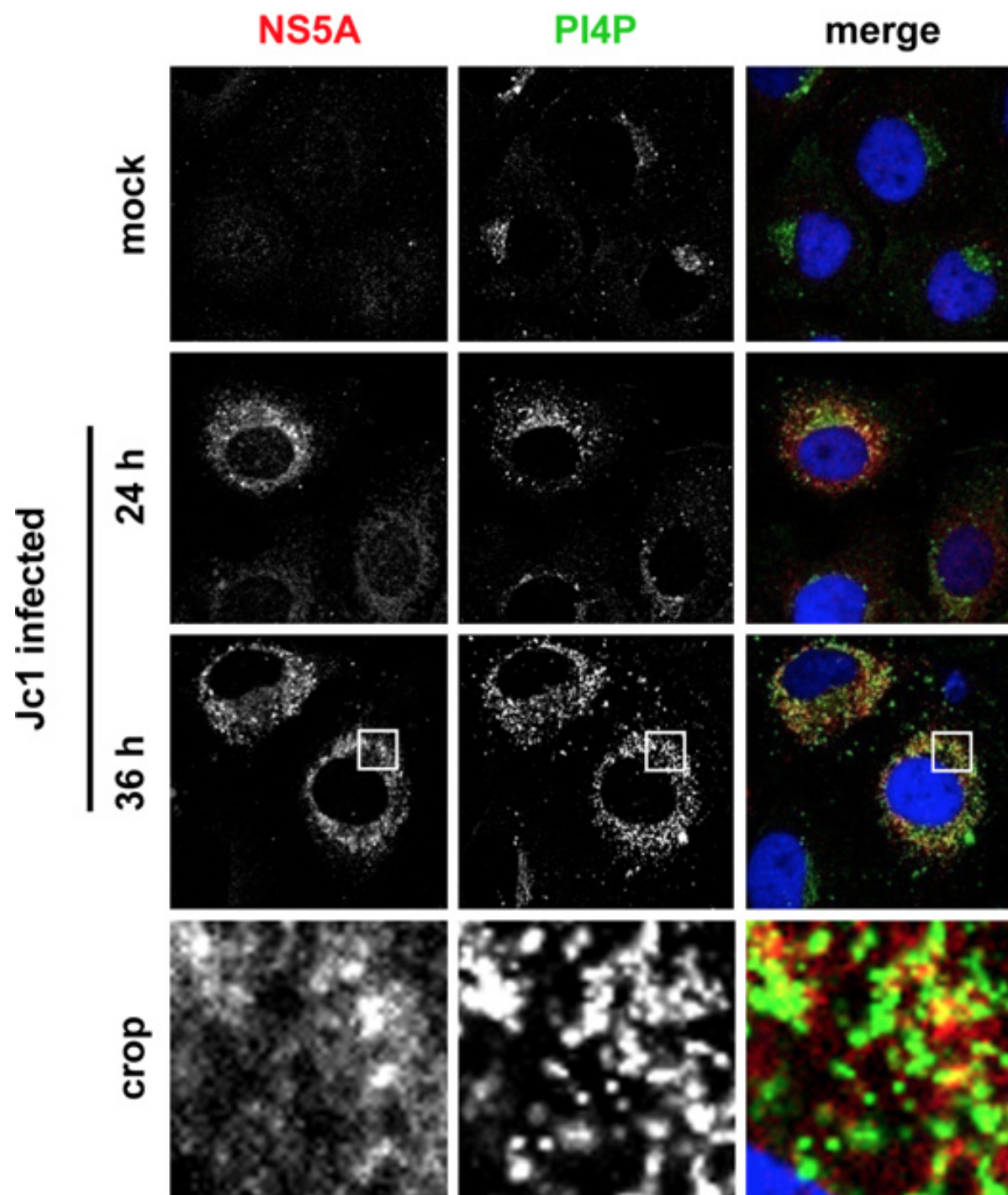
PI4KIII β



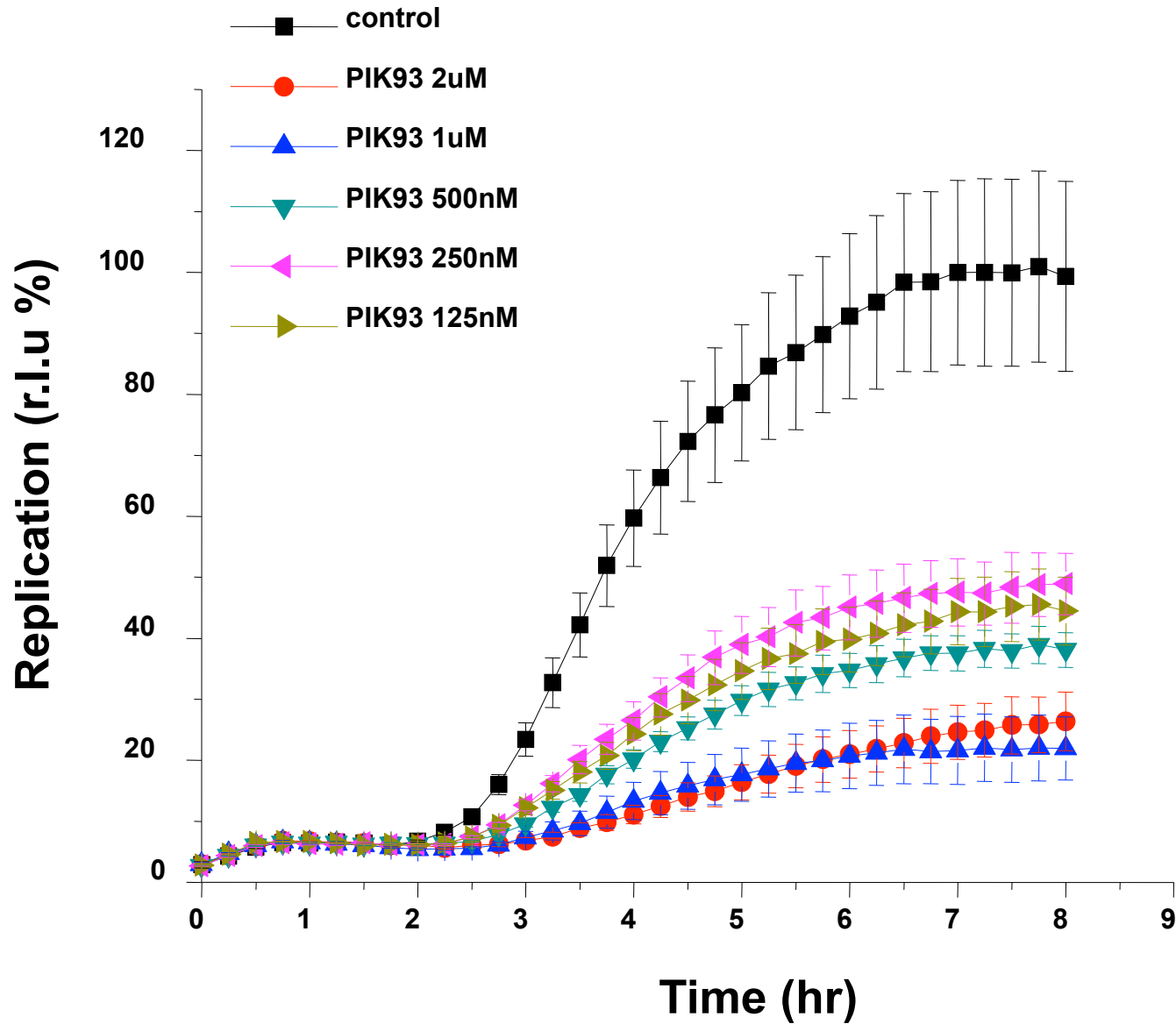
3A

3A effect on PI4KIII β recruitment is highly selective

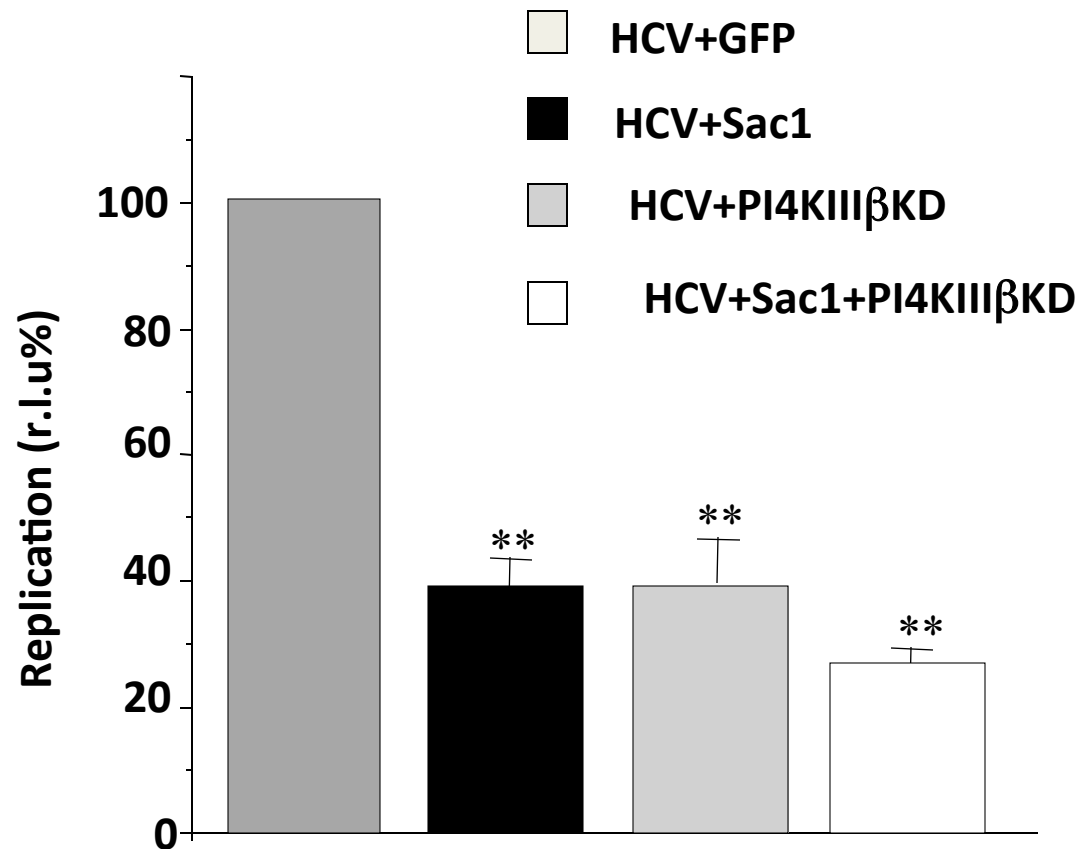




PIK93 effectively inhibits Enteroviral Replication



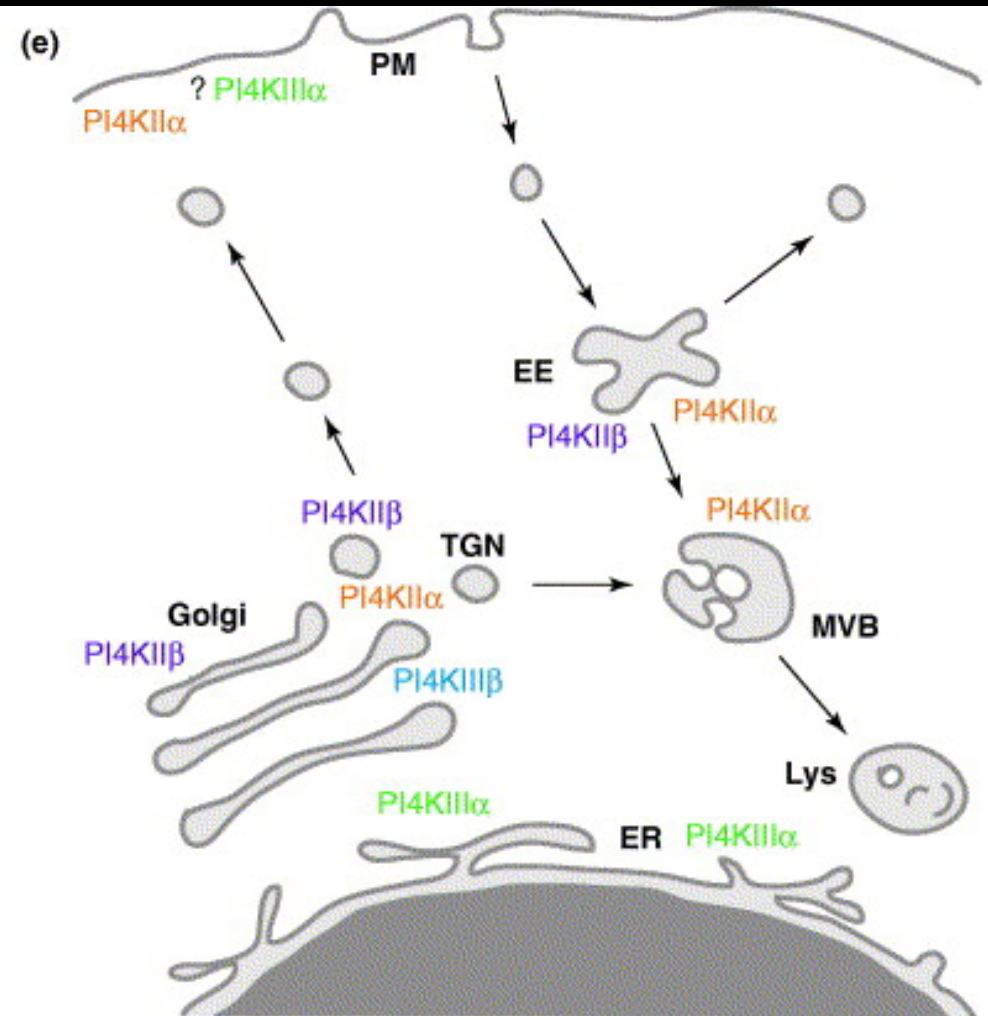
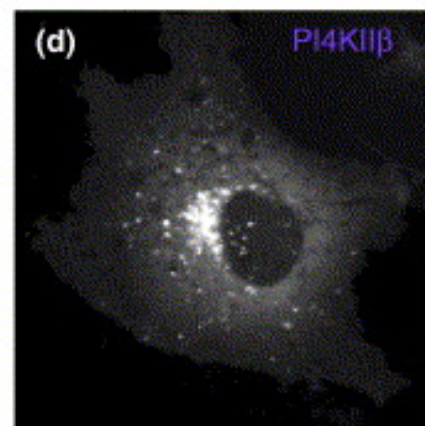
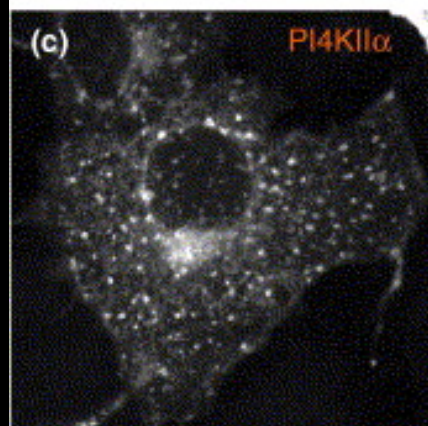
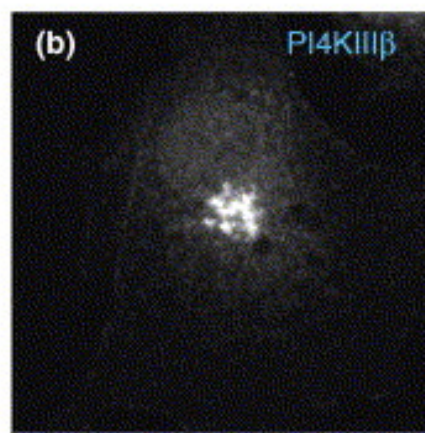
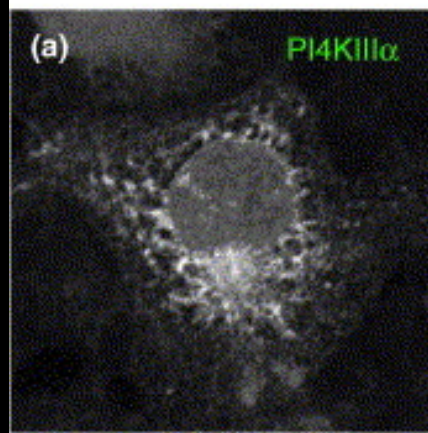
Inhibiting PI4P lipid production inhibits HCV RNA replication



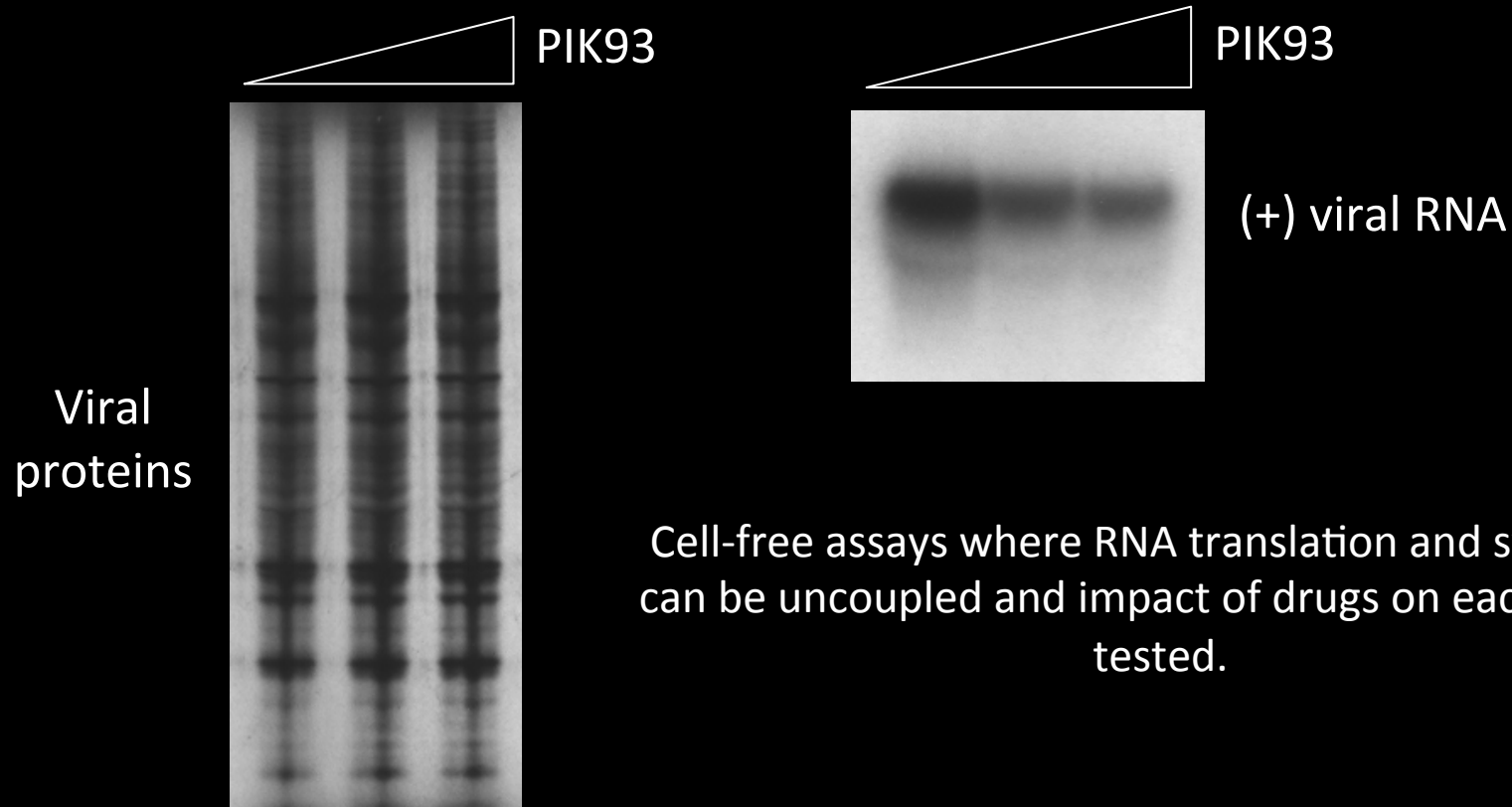
HCV J6/JFH (p7-Rluc2A) replicon

Hsu et al., Cell 2010

Treatment	Cell Viability (% mean of Control cells +/-S.E.M)
Type III PI4K β siRNA (4 days)	115.0 +/- 4.5
Type III PI4K β kinase-dead (4 days)	105.7 +/- 10.6
PIK 93 (up to 5 μ M for 3 day treatment)	114.4 +/- 10

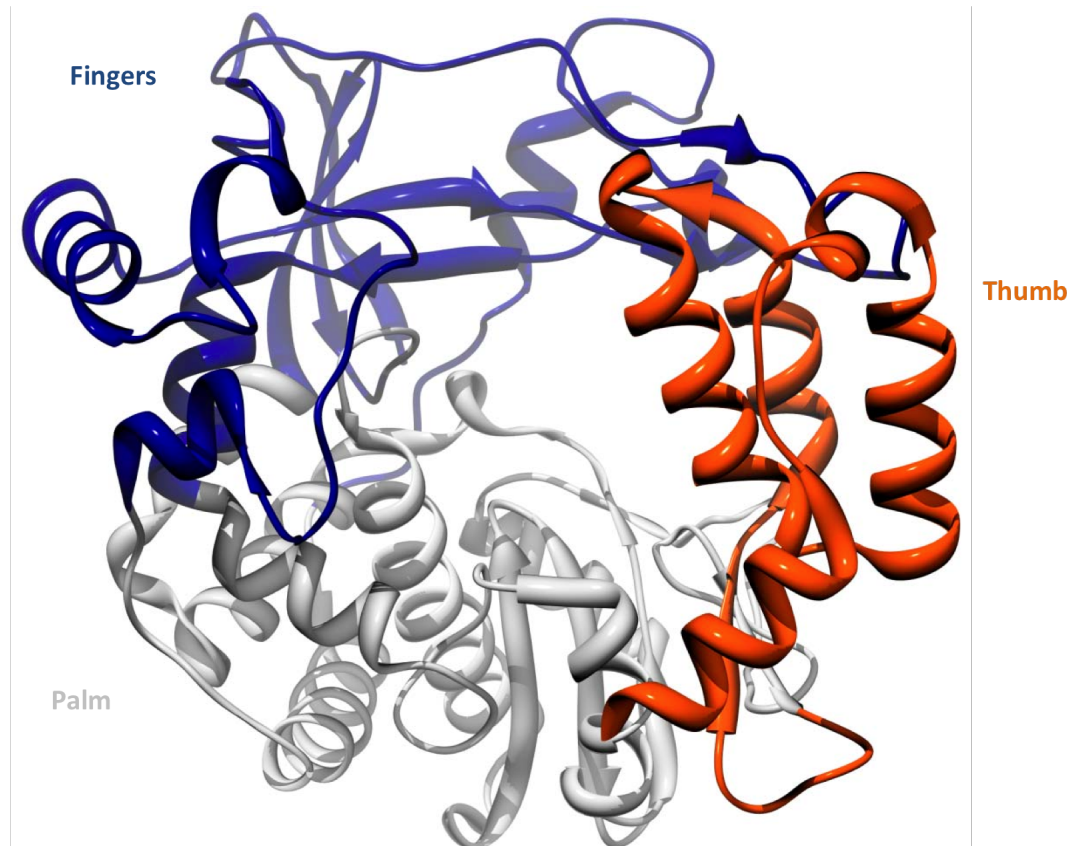


PI4P lipids specifically regulate RNA synthesis and do not impact translation



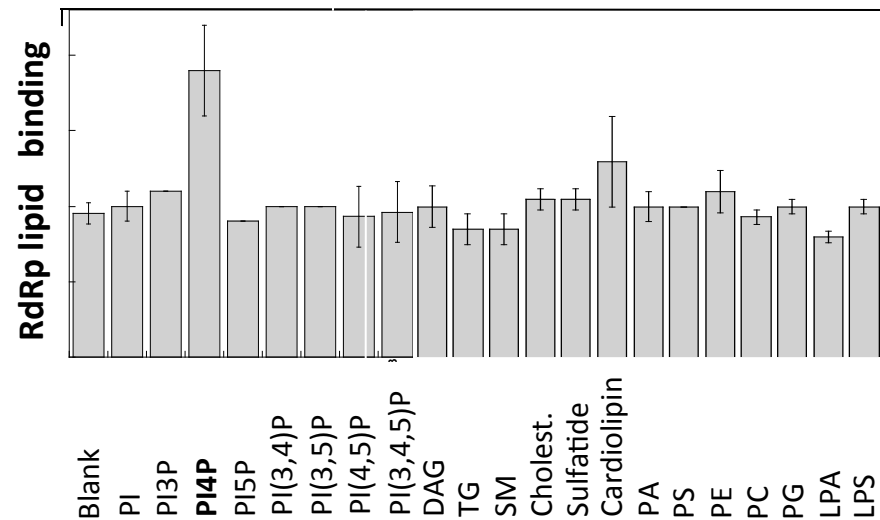
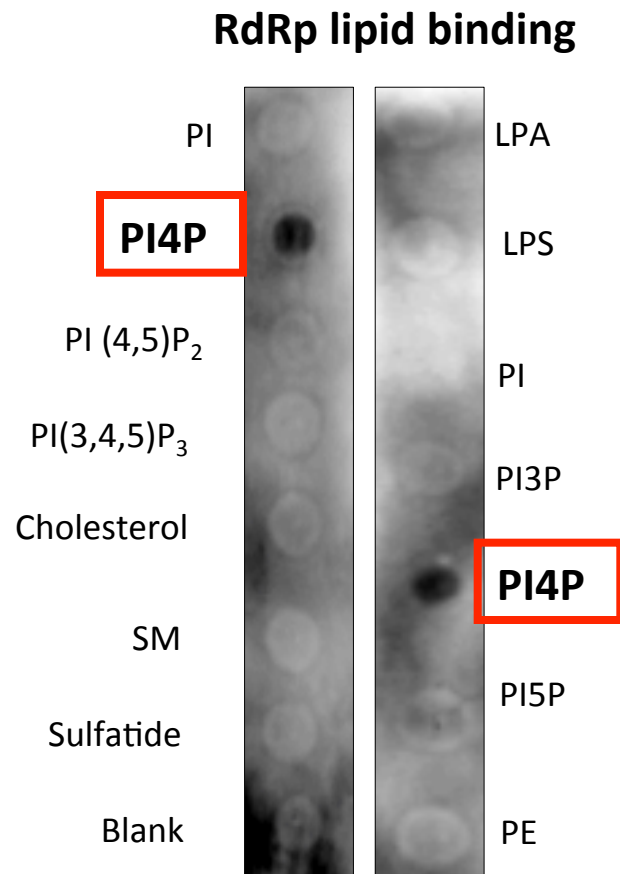
Cell-free assays where RNA translation and synthesis can be uncoupled and impact of drugs on each can be tested.

Enteroviral RNA- dependent RNA polymerase (RdRp)



- soluble protein
- highly conserved structure
- activities include Vpg Uridylation, RNA polymerization

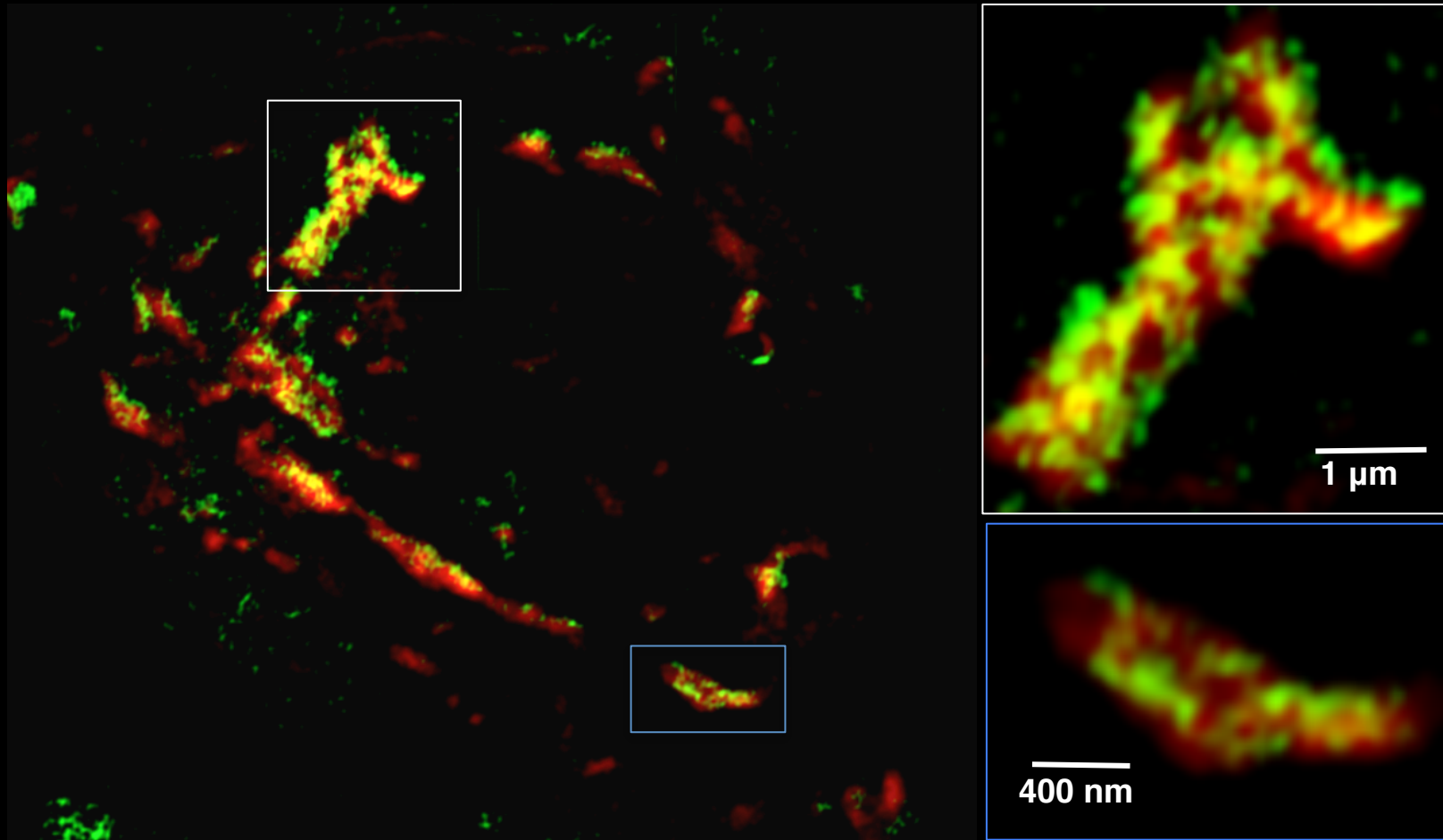
Enteroviral RNA Polymerases specifically and preferentially bind PI4P lipids



Future Studies in Lab

- Other Lipids?
- Other lipid harnessing pathways?

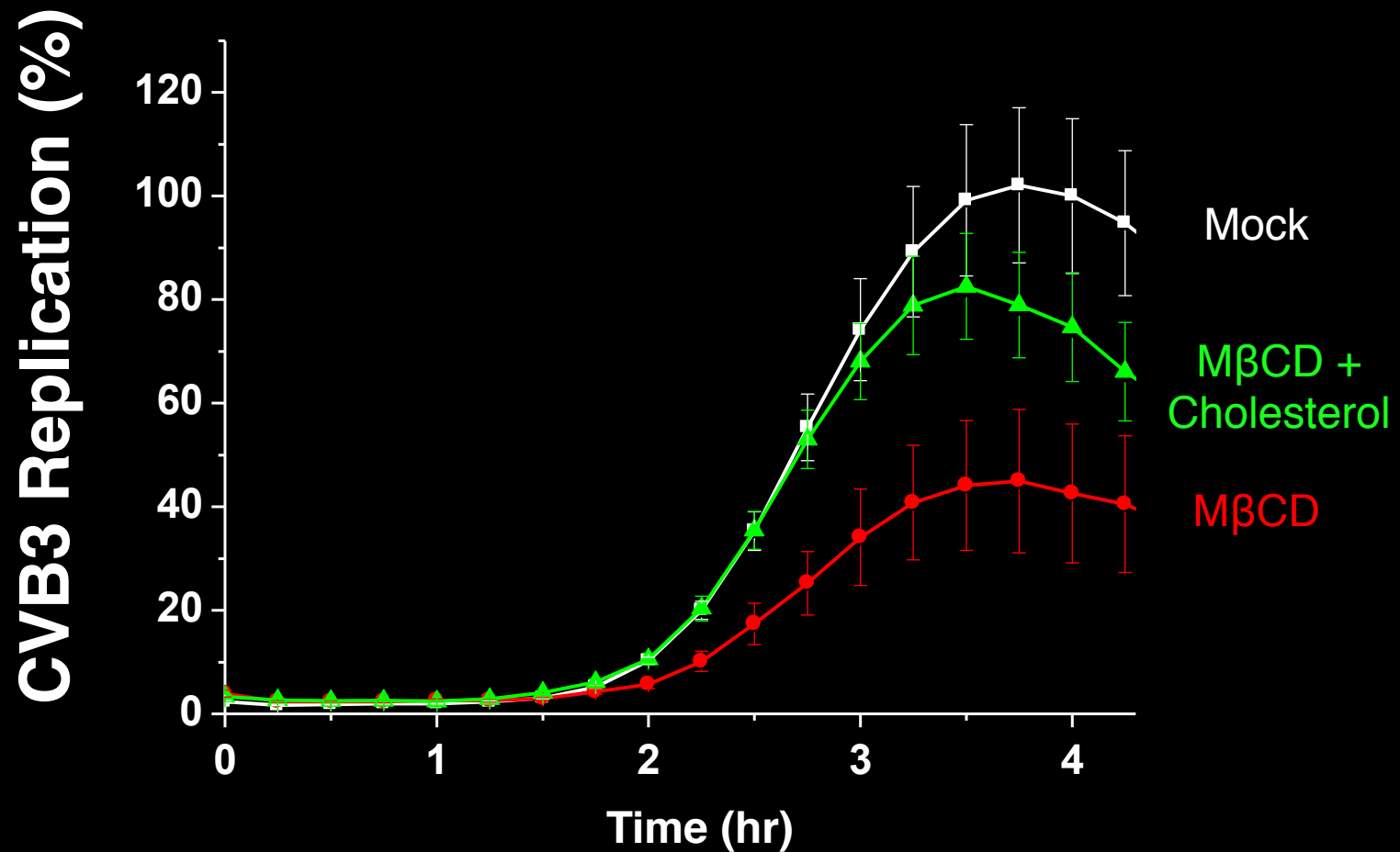
Replication platforms are also enriched in cholesterol



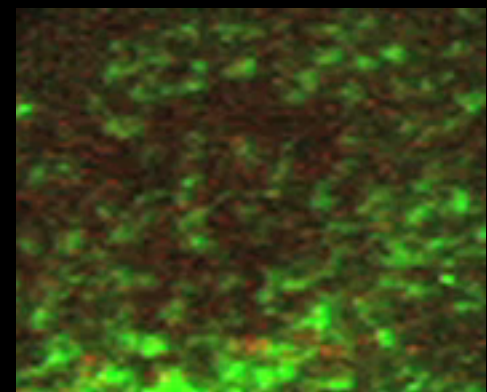
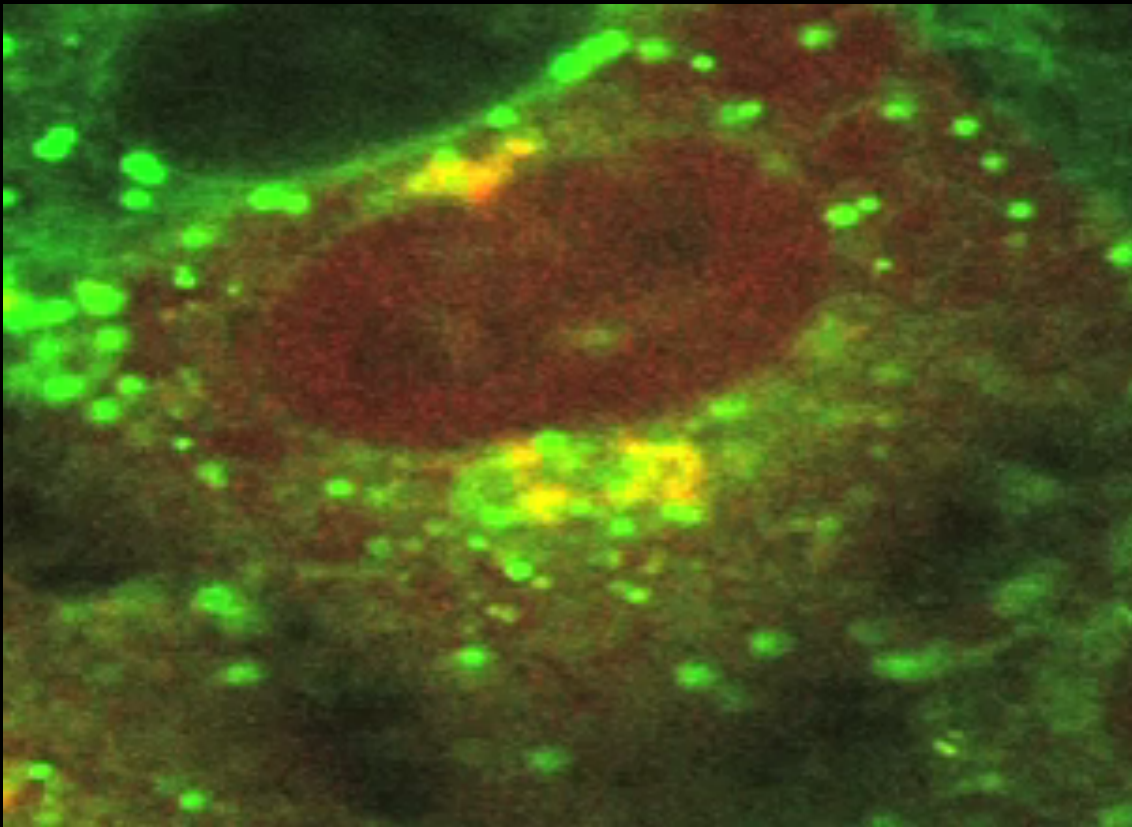
PI4P lipids
Phosphatidylinositol 4-phosphate

cholesterol

Cholesterol regulates enteroviral replication



Plasma membrane free cholesterol pools are trafficked to replication organelles



FAPP1-mRFP (replication organelles)
BODIPY-Cholesterol

CONCLUSIONS

- Multiple different viruses rely on specific lipids to regulate replication. Thus lipids may be good panviral therapeutic targets.
- Targeting lipids may have potentially limited negative impact on host functions since:
 - Host may need fewer quantities of a specific lipid than the viruses does.
 - Host may have multiple different mechanisms to generate a specific lipid; whereas viruses evolve to exploit one mechanism. For example: hijacking PI4KIII β .
- Association of viral proteins with specific lipids can facilitate replication complex assembly and enzymatic reactions.